**Freewrite prompts, 8/25**

**Freewrite** in response to “Dancing With Professors” (**3 minutes)**

* What is the “trouble with academic prose” that Limerick is talking about?

**Freewrite** in response to “What’s a Kid From Athens ...” (**5 minutes)**

* This one is a bit more complex. What is the main idea of what Hauser is saying?
* Is CU an Athens model, or a Berlin? Why?

**Freewrite** in response to both readings (**5 minutes)**

* What is your reaction, response to these readings? What did you think about as you read them (one or both of them)?

**After watching the Coleman TED talk …**

**Freewrite (6 minutes)**

* What are your thoughts, reactions, questions, and/or challenges to Coleman’s ideas?
* Put Coleman’s talk in conversation with the Hauser and Limerick readings: What do the 2 readings and this talk have to say to each other?
* Why are you in college? What do you hope to get from your college education? Also: Why did you choose CU, in particular?